

REMARKS

In an Office Action mailed on December 17, 2003, a rejection was made to claims 1-7 under 35 U.S.C. 112, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which is regarded as the invention, but would be allowable if rewritten or amended to overcome said rejection(s) under 35 U.S.C. 112. Claims 8-30 are allowed.

As for the term "the intermediate tubing section," in lines 11-12 of claim 1, the antecedent basis may be found in line 7 of claim 1.

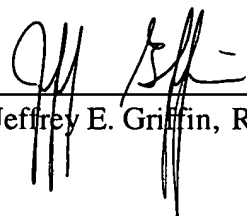
Claim 1 has been amended to address the antecedent basis rejection for the phrase "the upper and lower power cable." The phrase now reads "the upper and lower power cable segments" which finds antecedent basis in lines 3 and line 5.

Accordingly, withdrawal of the rejection is respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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